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87th Street and Pulaski Road closing at rail crossing

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that repairs to the Metra SouthWest Service Line crossing at 87th Street and Pulaski Road, in Chicago and Evergreen Park, will require a full closure starting, weather permitting, 9 a.m. tomorrow, Aug. 26.

A detour will direct Pulaski Road motorists to Southwest Highway, Cicero Avenue (Illinois 50) and 95th Street. Those traveling on 87th Street will be detoured via Cicero Avenue or Kedzie Avenue to 95th Street.

The work is expected to be complete by 6 a.m. Sunday, Sep. 6.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to detour signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Click <u>here</u> for details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at <u>www.travelmidwest.com</u>.

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